GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
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Market Intervention Scheme
Shetti Shri Raju alias Devappa Anna

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government allocates funds to the States for procurement of agricultural and horticultural commodities under the Market Intervention Scheme (MIS);

(b) if so, the details thereof and the details of the commodities procured under the said scheme during the last three years and the current year;

(c) the details of the funds provided by the Union Government to various States for the said purpose during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;

(d) whether any request of the State Governments for allocation of fund is still pending with the Government; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and the time by which the funds are likely to be sanctioned by the Government, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

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(a) to (e): No Madam, funds are not allocated to the States under Market Intervention Scheme (MIS). Instead, Central Share of losses on the implementation of MIS is released to the State Governments / state agencies as per the specific proposals received from them. A statement indicating the details of the commodities procured under the said scheme along with the funds released to the State Governments/state agencies during the last three years and the current year, State-wise is placed at Annexure.